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The Daily Courant.

Tuesday, March 31. 1724.

THE following Address having been transmitted hither by Henry Worsley, Esq; Governour of Barbadoes, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Lord Carteret one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

BARBADOES.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Grand Jury at the General Sessions of the Peace held for the Body of this Island, the 10th, 11th, and 12th Days of December, 1723.

Dread Sovereign,

AS often as we have an Opportunity of meeting at this your Majesty's Grand Court of Justice, we take ourselves to be indispensably bound to make our most humble Acknowledgments for the Benefits and Advantages your Majesty's Subjects receive from a due Execution of those Laws which are made for the Preservation of their Lives and Properties.

To your Majesty the Execution of those Laws is intrusted; and from your bountiful and gracious Goodness in placing over us a faithful and just Governour, whose Care is impartially to distribute Justice, your Majesty's Subjects here receive what we now, in most humble Manner, render our Thanks for.

Great is our Concern for the Safety of so gracious a King as your Majesty, who is a tender and compassionate Father of your People; and we offer up to Heaven our daily Prayers for your Majesty's safe Return to your Kingdoms, where we sincerely wish your Majesty may live free and undisturbed from any more wicked and unnatural Attempts to subvert that Government, which is so duly and happily established in your most illustrious Family. As for us, we humbly intreat your Majesty to rest assured that we shall never be wanting in any Part of our Duty, but shall most gratefully acknowledge your Majesty's most singular Care over this Island, by shewing ourselves,

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most dutiful and most loyal and faithful Subjects and Servants.

London, March 31.

Yesterday arrived the Mail from Holland.

Constantinople, Feb. 24. Most of the General Officers that are to command the Ottoman Troops near the Boristhenes are already gone to their Posts, but the Departure of the Grand Visier's Baggage is countermanded till further Notice, that Minister being resolved to wait for the Return of the Expresses sent to Russia, and it is likely that Expedients will be found to prevent a Rupture with the Czar. Couriers arrive here frequently from Persia, and confirm the successful Progress of our Armies in that Kingdom, in which Ibrahim Basham has already taken Possession of several Provinces; the Bashaw of Babylon also has secured the Provinces of Tauris and of Caramania, and it is not in the least doubted, that if the Czar abandons the young Sophi's Interest, the rest of Persia will soon be conquer'd.

Moscow, Feb. 11. 'Masquerades, Assemblies, and Balls, are continued here amongst the Nobility and Gentry; since the Plays are over at Petersbourg, the Actors are come hither with his Czarish Majesty's Permission, to act here. We are in great Hopes now, to see very shortly their Majesties in this Metropolis, the more, since the young Prince of Menzikoff is come already with Part of the Life-Guards. By an Express from Astracan we hear, that Prince Canimir is arrived there with the greatest Part of the Forces under his Command, and that Prince Galliczin, with another Army, is shortly expected at Casan, though no Body can see for what Design so many Forces can be imployed there, since 'tis generally discoursed that Peace with the Porte is as good as concluded. All our Places upon the Frontiers are fortifying with the utmost Diligence and sufficiently garrisoned, particularly those near Asoph. General Allard is to come hither with a Body of 3000 Men to be quartered in this City and its Suburbs. Several Hundred Pieces of Ordnance are transporting from Veronitz to the Frontiers, and to Persia, and we expect likewise a great Number here, in order to be sent to Petersbourg for the Men of War that are building, of which there are several of 90 Guns.

Petersbourg, March 14. The young Princesses set out from hence the 10th Instant in the Morning for Moscow, at did likewise the Duke of Holstein in the Afternoon, having some Days before taken leave of the Foreign Ministers who had paid their Visits to his Royal Highness. Orders are given here to raise 20 new Batallions of 700 Men each, and to have them compleat in three Months.

Stockholm, March 7. 'Major General von Lowen, who went back to Finland after the breaking up of the Dyet here, has sent hither an ample and full Account of the Motions of the Russian Forces there, viz. That their drawing together seems to be with no other Design than to have them in Readiness to send them to Persia in case of Need: 'Tis true, that they are very buly in repairing and fortifying their strong Places; but seeing that most Part of those Fortresses were fallen to Ruin, no other Inference can be drawn from thence, but that they do it in order to put them into a good State of Defence. As to the Cession of Wierolax and its District, it seems to him that the Russians will never consent to it, because it lies very advantagiously for them. M. Bestuchef, the Russian Minister, has lately received an Express from his Court, with News that the Peace between the Czar and the Porte is looked upon as certain.

Hambourg, March 17. 'This Morning a Guard of two Officers and some Soldiers was put upon M. Evens, the Prussian Resident, and this by the Request of his Prussian Majesty to our Magistrates, and we hear that he is to be carried speedily to the Frontiers, to be delivered to a Prussian Guard not far from Lentz. These are several Particulars alledged against him that have occasioned his Disgrace, viz. That he pretended always to be sick when he had Orders from his Court to repair to Berlin; That he could never be brought to give an Account of the Money he received for Recruits; And that it was known

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' that he diverted that Money to his own Use ; ' with several other Things that are laid to his ' Charge ; so that he must expect to be punished ' according to his Deserts after his Arrival at Ber- ' lin : And whereas M. Testenon, the Prussian ' Postmaster, delivered Yesterday his Majesty's Re- ' quest to the Magistrates about the said Affair, at ' which they were well pleased, 'tis supposed that ' the said M. Testenon will succeed to the Place ' of the above mentioned Resident. The last Let- ' ters from Riga advise, that the Czar's Officers ' have been so diligent in recruiting, that they have ' compleated the Regiments quartered in Livonia ' to 3000 Men each, with the best of Men, which ' they exercise once every Day ; and that Prince ' Repnin, Governour of Riga, never fails himself ' in Person to exercise the Garrison of that Place ' twice a Week.

Vienna, March 25. The Empress is daily expected to be brought to Bed; and his Imperial Majesty has promised an extraordinary Gratification to the Person that first shall bring him the News of her happy Delivery.

Falmouth, March 26. Came in his Majesty's Ships Port Mahon and Shark. Sailed the Regard for London, and the Eagle Packet-Boat for the Groine.

Plymouth, March 27. This Day sailed the Hen- rietta for the Isle of May. Came in the Seaford Adventure from Jersey for London. Sailed the Society from Carolina for London.

Dartmouth, March 27. This Day sailed the Farmer, Goodwill, Sunflower, Tryal, and Mary for London.

Deal, March 27. Last Night came down and sailed through the Mary and Anne, both for Lisbon. Last Night came down and remain, the Peacock and Cadogan for East India ; came down the Samuel and Philip, both from Virginia.

Deal, March 28. Came down the Alexander for South Carolina, but is preparing to Sea. Is also the two East-India Ships. Arrived the Prince Frederick from Liverpool.

Deal, March 29. Outward-bound, viz. Morrice and Cadogan for East-India ; London for Seville ; and Alicant for New-England. Came in the Harrison from Virginia.

Gravesend, March 29. Passed by the John and Jane from Rotterdam ; Hope from Norway, and Prince Frederick from Ostend.

London, March 31.

Yesterday South Sea Stock was 118 3 8ths, 118 3 qrs. 118 1 8th. South-Sea Annuity Books shut. Bank 129 1 qr. 129. India 150 1 qr. 150. African 17 3 qrs. York-Buildings 10 1 half, 10 3 qrs. Royal Exchange Assurance Books shut. London Assurance Books shut.

London, March 20, 1723.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed, That all Contributors or Adventurers in the present Malt Lottery for raising Money for the Service of the Year 1724, do pay the full Sums which they shall think fit to contribute to Thomas Maddockes, Joshua Odams, Joseph Collier, James Collier, and Thomas Gregory, at the Bank of England, or to some one of them (whom their Lordships have appointed Receivers thereof) on or before the 31st Day of March Instant ; the said Receivers do hereby give Notice, that constant Attendance will be given every Day at the Bank, (Sundays excepted) from Monday next, for the Purpose aforesaid.

York-Buildings House, Feb. 26, 1723.

The Governour and Company of Undertakers for Raising the Thames-Water in York-Buildings give Notice, That such Person or Persons as have any new and extraordinary Engine or Machine for raising the largest Quantities of Water, may apply to the Governour, at his House in Great Russel-Street, Bloomsbury, or to the Committee, on Wednesdays, at 11 in the Forenoon, at their Water-Works in York Buildings, who are impowered to treat for the same, and will give all fitting Encouragement.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the *Subscribed Equivalent Debt* will be shut on Wednesday the 1st and so continue till Friday the 10th of April next ; and printed Lists of the Proprietors will be ready to be delivered at their House in Freeman's Court in Cornhill on Wednesday the 8th of April next.

Just Published,

The Report of a Committee of Aldermen, in Affirmance of the Right of the Mayor and Aldermen, to put a Negative to Bills or Acts depending in the Common-Council of London. Confirmed by the Court of Lord-Mayor and Aldermen; and Published by their Authority. To which are annexed, The Opinions of his Point, of Sir William Jones, Sir Francis Pemberton; Sir John Maynard, Sir Francis Winnington, Sir William Dolben, Sir George Jefferys, and Mr. Steele. Printed for Edward Symon in Cornhill ; and Sold by J. Roberts in Warwick-Lane. Price 6 d.

Lost a few Days since, a small Lap-Dog, Liver-colour'd and White, of the Spaniel Kind. Whoever brings him to Mr. Robert Hall's, Upholsterer, in Great St. Helens, shall have Half a Guinea Reward.

Lost on Monday last the 30th of March, between Stepney and Bromley, a White Bitch full of Liver-colour Spots, cut Tail, long Ears and Liver colour, long, Shape, pretty full grown, about 8 Months old ; She had Irons round her Neck, and Screw'd on, with Rope tied to them. Whoever brings her to Mr. Richard Knight's at the Half-Moon in Grace-Church-street, shall receive Half a Guinea Reward.

The Berry Sloop, Thomas Wilkins Commander, sails on Friday next, for Rotterdam, now lying at St. Katherine's to take in Goods and Passengers ; and may be spoke with every Day on the Dutch Walk at Exchange Time, at Batson's Coffee-House over-against the Royal Exchange in Cornhill, or at Mr. Coddeman's at the King's-Head, or the Widow Jefferies, at the Hare and Hound-Town, both in St. Katherine's. Peters and Vanheester, for the Master.

Any Gentlewoman that is agreeable in Person and Conversation, and can command 50 l. and upwards, may be put in a handsome Way to live like a Gentlewoman all her Life-time, and to improve her Fortune beyond her Expectation, and always have Security in her own Hands. Such as are willing to treat about it, are desired to send a Line for Mr. John Tyas at the Shropshire Coffee-house at Charing-Cross.

A fresh Parcel of fine

MOROCCO RED SKINS, to be Sold Reasonably, at a House in Nicholas-lane, Lombard-street, three Doors beyond the Church-Yard, the same Side leading to Cannon-street.

To be LETT,

A very good House, with 6 Rooms on a Floor, and Closets to each Room, two Stories high, and about 4 Acres of Garden Ground, all walled in, and well stock'd with fruit Trees, a Barn, and Stables for 18 Horses, and a good Pigeon-House well stock'd, and Fishponds. Enquire of Mr. Edmd Smith, at the Coffee-house in Farnham, Surrey.

To be Sold by AUCTION,

This Day, being the 31st Instant, at the Crown and Pearl in the Piazza Covent-Garden, a curious Collection of Prints and Drawings of Solomon Gautier, in which is his entire Collection of Italian Drawings. Beginning this Day with Book Letter E. They may be viewed till the Time of Sale, which will begin exactly at Four in the Evening, and continue till all are sold. And on Thursday the 2d of April, at the Two Golden Balls in Hart-street, Covent-Garden, will be sold by Auction, his Collection of Pictures by Italian and other Masters, they may be viewed till the Time of Sale, which will begin at Eleven. Catalogues to be had at Mr. Gautier's in the Piazza, Mr. Cooper's in Bedford-street, and at Batson's Coffee-house in Cornhill, near the Royal Exchange.

Lately Published,

Proposals for Printing by Subscription a Course of Experimental Philosophy, in 2 Vols. in Quarto, with a great many Copper Plates curiously Engraven by the best Hands. Subscriptions are taken in by the Author John Theoph. Desaguliers, L. L. D. F. R. S. at his House in Channel-Row, Westminster ; J. Senex against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleetstreet ; and W. Taylor in Pater-Noster-Row. " On Thursday December 5, 1723. " The Author having brought several Sheets of this Work, and several of the Plates to the Royal Society, a Committee was appointed to examine them, who the Thursday following having made their Report in Favour of what they examined, the President was pleased to give his Imprimatur in these Words—— " December 12, 1723. Imprimatur Liber cui Titulus, " A Course of Experimental Philosophy. *Is. Newton, P. R. S.*

This Day is published, printed so as to bind up with Common-Prayers of several Sizes,

Bp. Beveridge's Worthy Communicant, with Meditations, Ejaculations, and Prayers, before, at, and after the Sacrament. Printed for W. Taylor in Pater-noster-row, Price 6 d. or 40 s. per 100. Where may be had,

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